I am not in favor of preempting state Telephone Privacy laws for one lower national standard. I am also an Indiana resident and believe that the FCC should not implement any proposal that would lessen Indiana's Telephone Privacy law protections.

Indiana's Telephone Privacy law has improved my family's time at home. I am able to enjoy dinner and relaxation without interruptions. "I used to receive <40 calls per week, now I only receive >3".

The practical result could mean that I will receive more unwanted telemarking calls. Should the FCC try to preempt state law, I could receive unwanted calls from some companies that I have previously done business with...credit card companies, phone companies, and anybody else that considers me an "existing customer".

I, the consumer, should be able to choose whom I want to do business with and not be harassed and assumed a customer.